

House Resolution No. 270

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives proudly pause to recognize a select group of remarkable young athletes who have remained committed to the highest standards of excellence; and

Whereas, the Cape Central High School Lady Tigers Softball Team from Cape Central High School in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, took First Place during the District Tournament for the second year in a row; and

Whereas, the Cape Central Lady Tigers endured a trying 2001-2002 season that was highlighted by victories against teams from Jackson and Farmington and ended with not only an overall record of 15-13, but a deeper appreciation and respect between the players and coaches and an increased level of maturity and perseverance; and

Whereas, post season honors included All-District and All-Conference recognition for Holly Schnurbusch, Megan Kistner, Laura Beard, Megan McDonald, Trisha Klipfel, Alex Wieser, and Ashley Foutch; All-District and All-Conference Honorable Mention for Jessica Snell; and individual honors for Trisha Klipfel, Defensive MVP; Megan McDonald, Offensive MVP; Holly Schnurbusch, Most Valuable Pitcher; Ashley Foutch, Most Valuable Teammate; and Blaire Holmes, who received the 110% Award; and

Whereas, the Cape Central Lady Tigers could not have attained such phenomenal success this season without the exemplary leadership provided by Head Coach Amy Blattel and Assistant Coach Joanna Hicks, both of whom continually instilled within all their talented players the desire to realize their full potential; and

Whereas, few high school students possess the athletic prowess displayed by Lady Tigers Trisha Klipfel, Ashley Foutch, Holly Schnurbusch, Laura Beard, Samantha Elliott, Heather Hobbs, Alex Wieser, Blaire Holmes, Megan Kistner, Megan McDonald, and Jessica Snell; and

Whereas, fellow students, faculty, and staff of Cape Central High School, parents, and the entire community of Cape Girardeau are exceedingly proud of the Lady Tigers for their impressive display of sportsmanship and unwavering unanimity while successfully aspiring towards incredible goals:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to the members of the 2001-2002 Cape Central High School Lady Tigers for taking First Place in the District Finals, and in wishing them only the very best of success as they continue to maintain their high standards for achievement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Cape Central High School in Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Jason G. Crowell
District No. 158

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do

certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 270, adopted February 7, 2002.

Jim Kreider, Speaker

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